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RUSSIA.

Quarantine against Constantinople abolished by Odessa and other Black Sea ports.

ODESSA, RUSSIA, *September 10, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to inform the Department that the quarantine which existed at Odessa and other Black Sea ports, against vessels arriving from Constantinople has been raised, and all vessels showing clean bills of health, and having no serious or contagious cases of illness on board, are at once permitted to enter.

Respectfully,

THOS. E. HEENAN,
United States Consul.

Hon. ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE.

SCOTLAND.

Report from Glasgow—Status of plague.

GLASGOW, SCOTLAND, *September 26, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report of the Service at this station for the week ended September 22, 1900:

Eight vessels were inspected and received bills of health. These vessels carried crews, 444; cabin passengers, 277; steerage, 146; cat-tlemen, 42. One hundred and thirteen pieces of baggage were inspected and 30 pieces were disinfected.

The plague situation is as follows: Three new cases have occurred, and 2 deaths have occurred, leaving at present 22 cases in hospital. Many of these, however, are far advanced in convalescence. One case of typhus has been taken to the fever hospital.

Regarding manifests, it has been impossible thus far to see the manifest of freight before the sailing of the vessel. However, I think the list of cargo furnished us is quite accurate.

Respectfully,

A. R. THOMAS,
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Vessels sailing from Glasgow to American ports.

[Cablegrams.]

GLASGOW, *October 6, 1900.*

Brazilian and Tritonia sailed to-day from Glasgow for Montreal.

THOMAS.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

GLASGOW, *October 8, 1900.*

Sailed 7th, Almora, Glasgow to Newport News.

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The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

GLASGOW, *October 11, 1900.*

Sailed from Glasgow to-day Astoria and Laurentian, New York; Orthia, Baltimore.

THOMAS.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.